OFFICE OF TEXTILES AND APPAREL (OTEXA)

Market Reports Textiles, Apparel, Footwear and Travel Goods

Suriname

The following information is provided only as a guide and should be confirmed with the proper authorities before embarking on any export activities.

Import Tariffs

Suriname is a member of the Caribbean Community (CARICOM), along with Antigua and Barbuda, the Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Dominica, Grenada, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica, Montserrat, St. Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Trinidad and Tobago. Only slightly more than half of the members appear to have implemented the CARICOM common external tariff (CET) whereby goods entering any member country from nonmember countries will be assessed with the same tariff rate. Consequently, a wide range of applied tariff rates continue to exist across member countries.

Customs value is based on the c.i.f. (cost, insurance, freight) value of the goods at the time of import and includes all other foreign costs.

| Suriname: Tariffs (percent ad valorem) for Textiles, | Apparel, Footwear and Travel Goods HS Chapter/Subheading | Tariff Rate Range (%) |
|--|--|-----------------------|
| Yarn | - | |
| -silk | 5003-5006 | 5 |
| -wool | 5105-5110 | 5 |
| -cotton | 5204-5207 | 5 |
| -other vegetable fiber | 5306-5308 | 5 |
| -man-made fiber | 5401-5406/5501-5511 | 5 |
| Woven Fabric | | |
| -silk | 5007 | 5 |
| -wool | 5111-5113 | 5 |
| -cotton | 5208-5212 | 5 |
| -other vegetable fiber | 5309-5311 | 5 |
| -man-made fiber | 5407-5408/5512-5516 | 5 |
| Knit Fabric | 60 | 5 |
| Non Woven Fabric | 5603 | 5 |
| Industrial Fabric | 59 | 5 - 20 |
| Apparel | 61-62 | 5 - 20 |
| Home Furnishings | | |
| including: bed, bath, kitchen linens, etc. | 63 | 0 - 20 |
| Carpet | 57 | 20 |
| Footwear | 64 | 5 - 20 |
| Travel Goods | 4202 | 20 |

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